

# ESTATE PLANNING MARRIED CLIENT INTAKE SHEET

## Estate Planning Terminology

**<u>Fiduciary</u>**: A person who holds a position of trust and confidence in your estate plan. The rest of the definitions on this page refer to examples of fiduciaries.

**Personal Representative (Executor)**: The person identified in your Will to manage your estate through the probate process. If married, the first choice is usually the surviving spouse. If not married (or upon the deaths of both spouses), you will need to identify persons (i.e. members of your family or close friends), financial situations with trust departments, or professionals (i.e., CPAs or attorneys) to serve in this capacity.

<u>Guardian of the Person</u>: The person appointed by a court to provide for the care and well-being of a disabled (i.e., incompetent) adult or minor child. Guardians for minors may be appointed, <u>without</u> court approval, by their parents in the parents' Wills. An adult may appoint a guardian that would become effective, <u>with</u> court approval, at some time in the future if that adult becomes disabled.

<u>Guardian of the Property</u>: The person appointed by a court to manage the property interests of a disabled person or a minor. Like guardians of the person, guardians of the property of disabled persons can be appointed by an adult.

**<u>Trustee</u>**: A person or financial institution appointed by the person who sets up a trust to hold and manage property put into the trust, and to make distributions of trust property to the beneficiaries of the trust. Examples of such trusts include:

- 1. **Children's Trusts**: set up for children using trusted family members, friends, or financial institutions as trustees. A primary trustee, as well as back up trustee should be identified.
- 2. **Tax-Planning Trusts**: set up for the benefit of the surviving spouse to save estate taxes upon that spouse's death; the surviving spouse is often the primary trustee, with trusted family members, friends, professionals, or financial institutions as successors or co-trustees.
- 3. **Revocable Living Trust**: set up by you for your benefit should you ever become disabled. You may be the original trustee (with your spouse as co-trustee, if you are married). Trusted family members, friends, professionals, or financial institutions should be identified as successor trustees.

<u>Agent Under a General Power of Attorney</u>: A person named by you to manage your financial affairs pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth in a written power of attorney, without court intervention, should you ever become disabled. If married, often the spouse is named as the first agent. Usually family members or other trusted individuals are identified as successor agents.

<u>Agent Under a Health Care Power of Attorney</u>: A person named by you to make health care decisions for you if you cannot do so yourself. If married, the spouse is normally named, with family members or other trusted individuals as successor agents.

# Personal Information

Spouse 1's First Name	MI	Last Name	
Date of Birth	Social Sec	curity Number	
Spouse 2's First Name	MI	Last Name	
Date of Birth	Social Sec	curity Number	
Street Address			
City	County	State	Zip Code
Date of Marriage	Home Phone		
Spouse 1's Cell Phone	Other Phone	Email	
Spouse 2's Cell Phone	Other Phone	Email	
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Child 1 of: D Bot		pouse 2	Zip Code
Child 1 of: D Bot	Spouse's Name		Zip Code
Child 1 of: D Bot	Spouse's Name County Cell Phone	State	Zip Code
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Child 1 of: Determine Date of Birth Date of Birth Date Phone Child 1's Cl Grandchild 1's Full	Spouse's Name County Cell Phone hildren: Name	State Email Grandchild 2's Full Nam Grandchild 4's Full Nam	le
Child 1 of: Dependent Both	Spouse's Name County Cell Phone hildren: Name Name	State Email Grandchild 2's Full Nam Grandchild 4's Full Nam	le

City		County	State	Zip Code
Home Phone		Cell Phone	Email	
C	hild 2's Childi	ren:		
Grar	ndchild 1's Full Name	2	Grandchild 2's Full Nam	ie
Gran	ndchild 3's Full Name	9	Grandchild 4's Full Nam	ne
Child 3 of:	Both	□ Spouse 1 □	Spouse 2	
Child 3's Full Na	ime			
Date of Birth		Spouse's Name		
Street Address				
City		County	State	Zip Code
Home Phone		Cell Phone	Email	
Ci	hild 3's Childi	ren:		
Grar	ndchild 1's Full Name	2	Grandchild 2's Full Nam	ne
	ndchild 3's Full Name		Grandchild 4's Full Nam	le
Child 4 of:	Both	□ Spouse 1 □	Spouse 2	
Child 2's Full Na	ime			
Date of Birth		Spouse's Name		
Street Address				
Street Address				
City		County	State	Zip Code
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Home Phone		Cell Phone	Email	
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# Questions About You, Your Family, and Your Property

If you answer "Yes" to any of these questions, please provide an explanation on Question 13.

1.	Is anyone a citizen of a country other than the United States?       Dual Citizenship         a. Spouse 1       Yes, country of citizenship       Inc         b. Spouse 2       Yes, country of citizenship       Inc         c. Children       Yes, country of citizenship       Inc
2.	Do any of your children have special educational, medical or physical needs? a. Spouse 1 □ Yes □ No b. Spouse 2 □ Yes □ No
3.	If you answered Yes to Question 2, does this child receive governmental support or benefits (Medicaid, SSI) as the result of these needs? a. Spouse 1
4.	Have either of you been divorced? a. Spouse 1 □ Yes □ No b. Spouse 2 □ Yes □ No
5.	Are you making payments or otherwise obligated to make provisions for a former spouse or children pursuant to a divorce or property settlement agreement? a. Spouse 1
6.	<ul> <li>Have either of you signed a pre-marital or post-marital agreement?</li> <li>a. Spouse 1 □ Yes □ No</li> <li>b. Spouse 2 □ Yes □ No</li> <li>If Yes, please bring a copy to the first meeting.</li> </ul>
7.	Have you ever made a gift to an individual exceeding \$10,000 in one calendar year? a. Spouse 1
8.	If you answered Yes to Question 7, did you file a Federal Gift Tax return (Form 709) for these gifts? a. Spouse 1
9.	Do you own real property in multiple states? a. Spouse 1
10.	Do you own an interest in a business (LLC, Corporation, family business, partnership, or proprietorship)? a. Spouse 1

- 11. Are you expecting an inheritance in the foreseeable future?

  - b. Spouse 2 □ Yes □ No
- 12. Do you have long-term care insurance (sometimes called nursing home insurance)?
  - a. Spouse 1 🛛 🗆 Yes 🗆 No
- Please explain any "Yes" answers: If you have any documents that help explain these answers, please bring them to the first meeting.

14. Do you have any health concerns (physical or mental) which would impact the urgency of your estate planning, or which would impact your ability to execute legal documents? **Spouse 1:** 

Spouse 2:

- 15. Please check the estate planning issue(s) listed below that concern you:
  - □ Ability to manage property during disability
  - □ Planning for long-term nursing home costs
  - □ Minimizing Federal or State Estate Taxes
  - □ Identifying persons to manage assets for your children or other family members
  - □ Avoiding probate
  - □ Maintaining privacy of your financial affairs
  - Developing a method for distributing your estate upon death
  - □ Identifying persons to care for your minor children (if applicable)
  - Avoiding in-court guardianship proceedings should you ever become disabled (i.e., incompetent)
  - □ If you have had children with a prior partner, do you wish to address how to make distributions to your "blended family"?
  - Business succession planning issues (if you own a small business)
  - □ Asset protection
  - □ Charitable giving or philanthropy (religious, education, civic)

16.	Describe any other estate planning concerns that you may have that were not listed in Question 15:			
<u>End of</u> 1.	Funeral a. S	Arrangements Spouse 1 □	Burial Cremation Other	
	Special f		Burial  Cremation  Other emorial service, or other provisions that you would like to	
2.	a. S	an Organ Donor Spouse 1   □ Spouse 2   □	Yes 🗆 No	
3.	Preferer	Ices in the event	of terminal condition, persistent vegetative state, or end-stage write your preference in your own words below):	
	Spouse	1: Spouse 2:		
			Keep me comfortable and allow natural death to occur. I do not want any medical interventions used to try to extend my life. I do not want to receive nutrition and fluids by tube or other medical means	
			Keep me comfortable and allow natural death to occur. I do not want any medical interventions used to try to extend my life. If I am unable to take enough nourishment by mouth, however, I want to receive nutrition and fluids by tube or other medical means	
			Try to extend my life for as long as possible, using all available interventions that in reasonable medical judgment would prevent or delay my death. If I am unable to take enough nourishment by mouth, however, I want to receive nutrition and fluids by tube or other medical means	

Preferences f Spouse 1:	•	ication:
		No matter what my condition, give me the medicine or other treatment I need to relieve pain
		I direct that no matter what my condition, medication or other treatment not be given to me to relieve pain and suffering if such medication may hasten my death.
Specific guid	elines or ins	tructions for end of life medical treatments:

- 4. Preferences for pregnancy (if applicable) during a diagnosed terminal condition, persistent vegetative state, or end-stage condition (check one):
  - □ Not applicable for either spouse
  - □ I direct that my Agent shall make any determination, in my Agent's sole and absolute discretion, to provide, continue, withhold or withdraw life-sustaining measures during such pregnancy
  - □ I direct that my Agent shall make any determination, based upon my best interests, to provide, continue, withhold or withdraw life-sustaining measures during such pregnancy.
  - □ I direct that my Agent shall make any determination, based upon the best interest of my infant in gestation, to provide, continue, withhold or withdraw life-sustaining measures during such pregnancy.

## Choice of Fiduciaries

During our initial meeting, we will discuss your choices for the fiduciary agents in your various estate planning documents (in broad terms, individuals who you designate to handle medical and financial decision-making on your behalf). For more information about the different fiduciary agents, please review the terms provided at the beginning of this intake sheet.

Please bring addresses, telephone numbers, and email addresses for each of your fiduciary agents to the initial meeting.

## Agent Under a Health Care Power of Attorney

Name of Individual for Spouse 1:	Relationship to you:
1	
2	
3.	
Name of Individual for Spouse 2:	Relationship to you:
1	

2.		
3.		
Agent	Under a Financial Power of Attorney	
	Name of Individual for Spouse 1:	Relationship to you:
1.		
2.		
3.	Name of Individual for Spouse 2:	
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1.		
2.		
3.		
Perso	nal Representative	
	Name of Individual for Spouse 1:	Relationship to you:
1.		
2.		
3.		
	Name of Individual for Spouse 2:	Relationship to you:
1.		
2.		
3.		
Guard	ian of Minor Children (If Applicable)	
	Name of Individual:	Relationship to you:
1.		
2.		
3.		
Truste	e of Trust for Children (If Applicable)	
	Name of Individual:	Relationship to you:
1.		
2.		
3.		

# Assets and Liabilities - (Approximate Value)

Assets	Titled Only in Spouse 1's Name	Titled Only in Spouse 2's Name	Titled in Both Spouses' Name
Cash - bank accounts, money market accounts, CDs, etc.			
Investments - include stocks, bonds, mutual funds, etc.			
Real Property			
Residence			
Vacation			
Investment			
Timeshare			
Personal Property - furniture, jewelry, collections, cars, etc.			
Notes Receivable Retirement			
Accounts - IRAs, 401(k), etc.			
Life Insurance - face value			
Business Interests			
Cryptocurrency/NFTs			
Firearms			
Other			
Total Value of Assets			

Names of Businesses

# Addresses of All Real Property Owned

Street Address	City	State	Zip
Street Address	City	State	Zip
Street Address	City	State	Zip

Liabilities	<u>Titled Only in</u> Spouse 1's Name	<u>Titled Only in</u> Spouse 2's Name	<u>Titled in Both</u> Spouses' Name
Notes Payable		<u> </u>	<u></u>
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Mortgages			
Credit Cards			
Bank Loans			
Student Loans			
Other			
Total Value of Liabilities Net Worth			
(Assets - Liabilities)			
Income	Spouse 1	Spouse 2	Jointly
Wages/Salary			
Social Security			
Retirement Plans			
Investments			
Rental Income			
Business Income			
Total Income			

#### Life Insurance Policies and Retirement Accounts

In addition to setting up your core estate planning documents, a comprehensive estate plan also includes updating your beneficiary designations to reflect your estate planning goals. We will discuss with you the best way to designate your beneficiaries so that these designations (i) make sense from an income and estate tax perspective, (ii) fit into your overall estate distribution plan, and (iii) properly designate any testamentary trusts you incorporate into your plan. Please provide a list of all your life insurance policies, retirement accounts and annuities, including their approximate values below.

#### Life Insurance Policies

Name of Provider	Approximate Value	Insured and Owner	Beneficiary

### IRA, 401(k), Pension, Annuity, or Other Retirement Accounts

Where Account Held	Approximate Value	Account Holder	Beneficiary

## Advisors

If you are currently working with any advisors, please provide their information below:

Accountant

Financial Planner

Attorney

Other

# **Referral Source**

Who referred you to Davis, Agnor, Rapaport & Skalny, LLC?

Name of Referral Source (e.g. friend, accountant, financial planner)